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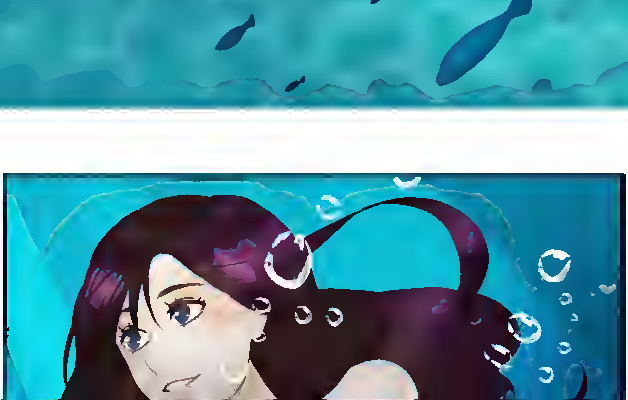
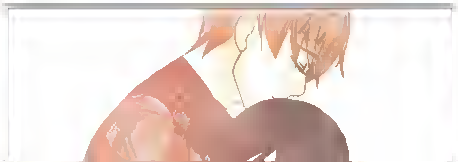
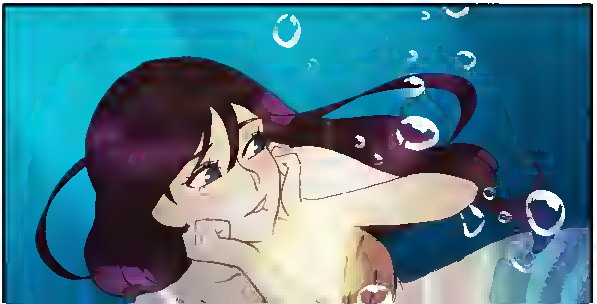
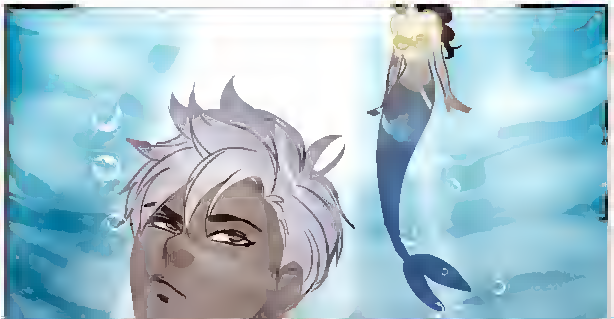
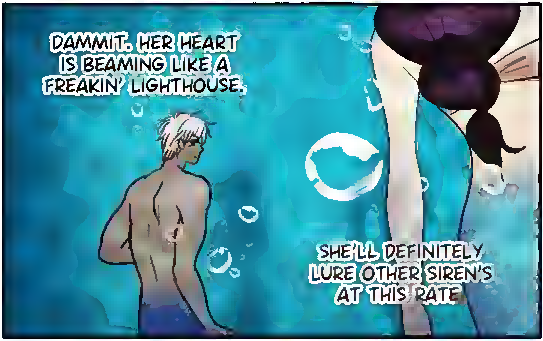


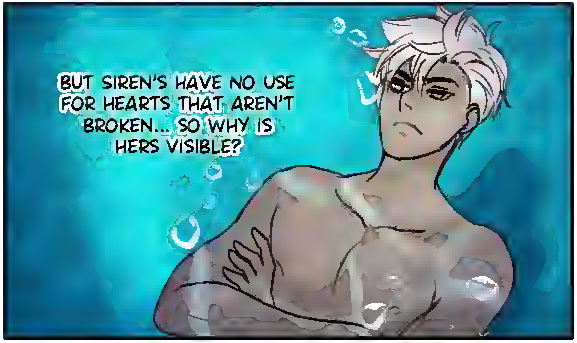


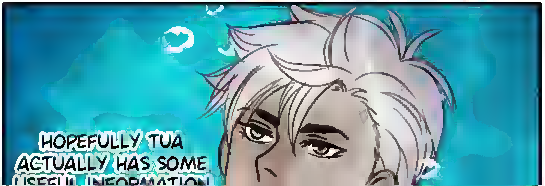




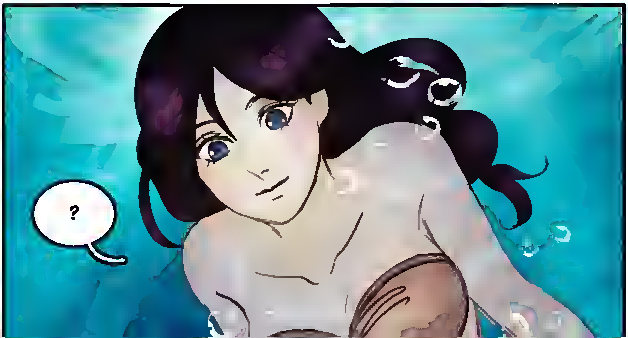

DAMMIT. HER HEART IS BEAMING LIKE A FREAKIN' LIGHTHOUSE.
SHE'LL DEFINITELY LURE OTHER SIREN'S AT THIS RATE

I GUESS IT'S SAFE TO ASSUME HER YELLOW HEART HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH FEELING 'LOVE'.
WHICH IS THE TOTAL OPPOSITE OF A BLUE BROKEN HEART...


BUT SIREN'S HAVE NO USE FOR HEARTS THAT AREN'T BROKEN... SO WHY IS HERS VISIBLE?


HOPEFULLY TUA ACTUALLY HAS SOME

THIS TIME.
Where the hell could he be anyway?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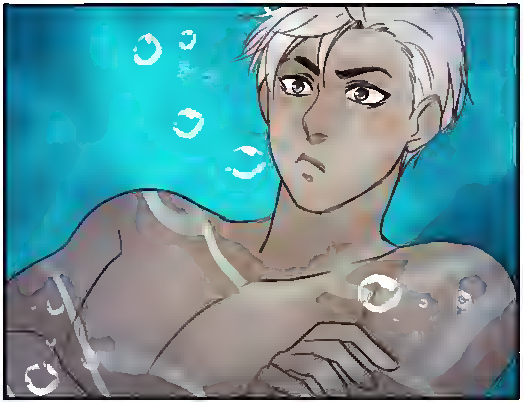
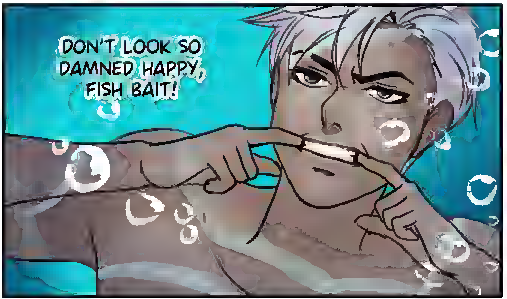
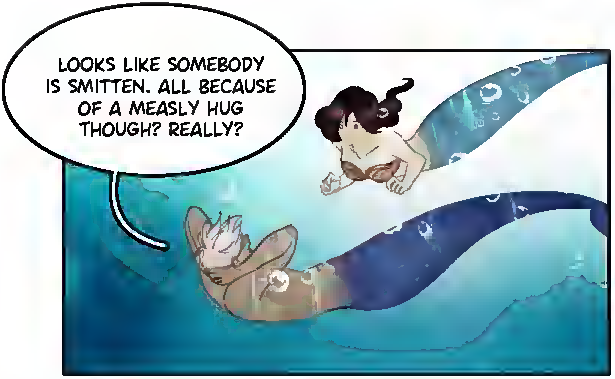
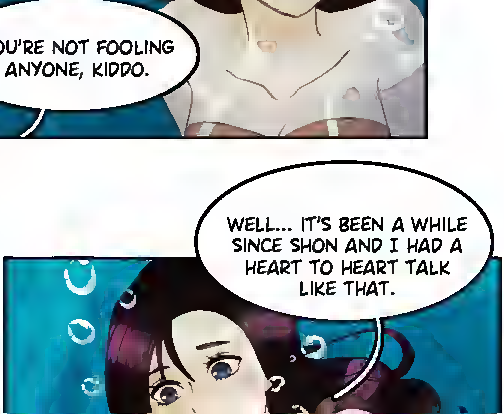


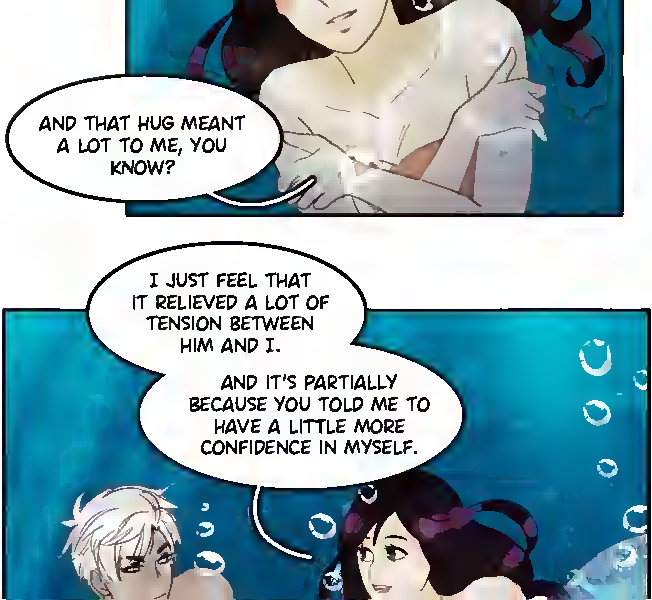

DON'T LOOK SO DAMNED HAPPY, FISH BAIT!

EPISODE 21: FORGOTTEN REMNANTS

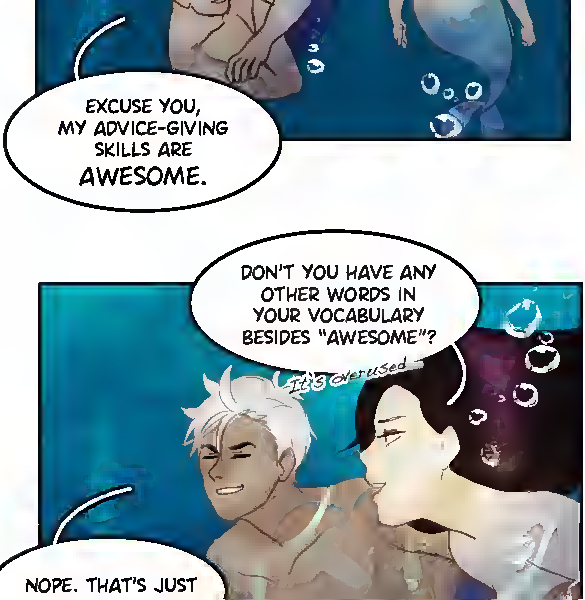

LOOKS LIKE SOMEBODY IS SMITTEN. ALL BECAUSE OF A MEASLY HUG THOUGH? REALLY?

I-I'M NOT SMITTEN.
YOU'RE NOT FOOLING ANYONE, KIDDO.


WELL... IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE SHON AND I HAD A HEART TO HEART TALK LIKE THAT.


AND THAT HUG MEANT A LOT TO ME, YOU KNOW?
I JUST FEEL THAT IT RELIEVED A LOT OF TENSION BETWEEN HIM AND I.
AND IT'S PARTIALLY BECAUSE YOU TOLD ME TO HAVE A LITTLE MORE CONFIDENCE IN MYSELF.

I GOTTA ADMIT, YOUR ADVICE-GIVING SKILLS AREN'T HALF BAD.


EXCUSE YOU, MY ADVICE-GIVING SKILLS ARE AWESOME.
DON'T YOU HAVE ANY OTHER WORDS IN YOUR VOCABULARY BESIDES "AWESOME"?
It's overused
NOPE. THAT'S JUST

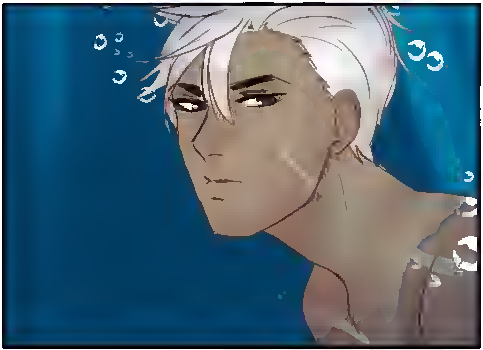
WHAT I AM.

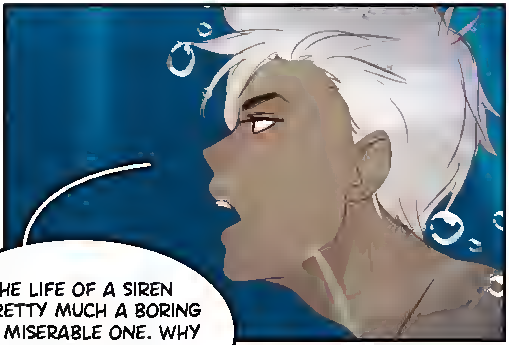
HOW ON EARTH DO SIRENS FIND EACH OTHER? TUA COULD BE ANYWHERE...

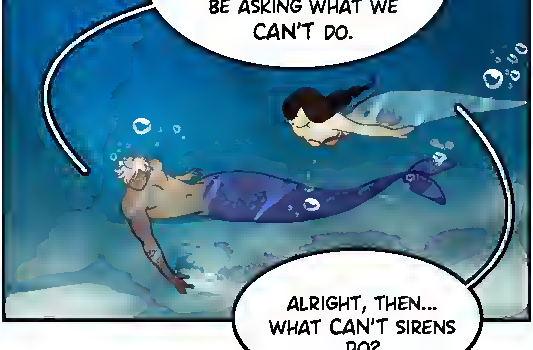
WE DON'T. BUT LUCKY FOR US, TUA IS THE TYPE WHO LURKS IN ONE AREA FOR A LONG TIME.
AND IF WE CAN'T FIND HIM, HE'LL PROBABLY FIND US.
SO... IAN?

WHAT.

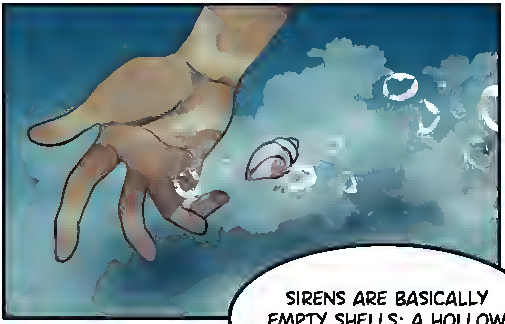
ASIDE FROM SEEKING OUT THE BROKEN HEARTED, WHAT ELSE CAN SIRENS DO EXACTLY?




THE LIFE OF A SIREN IS PRETTY MUCH A BORING AND MISERABLE ONE. WHY DO YOU THINK WE WANT TO BE HUMAN SO BADLY?
I THINK RATHER THAN ASKING WHAT WE CAN DO, A BETTER QUESTION WOULD

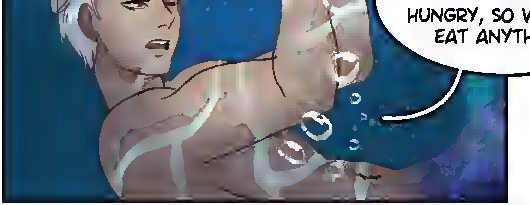

BE ASKING WHAT WE CAN'T DO.
ALRIGHT, THEN... WHAT CAN'T SIRENS DO?

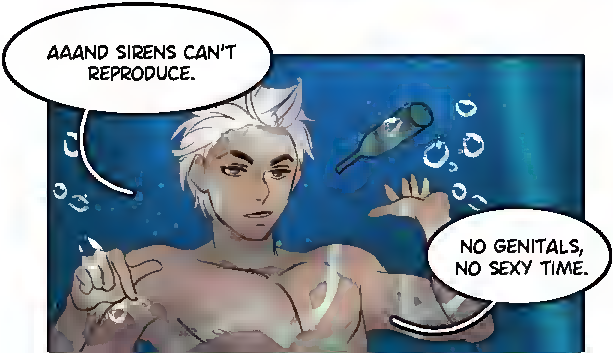
WELL, FOR ONE THING
...
SIRENS CAN'T ENJOY HUMAN PLEASURES.

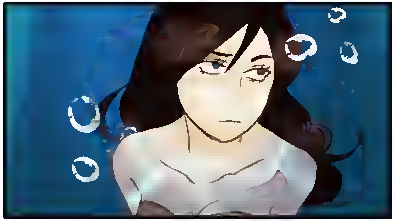

SIRENS ARE BASICALLY EMPTY SHELLS; A HOLLOW BODY THAT ONCE HELD LIFE.

WE AREN'T SOCIAL CREATURES. KEEPING EACH OTHER COMPANY IS INEVITABLY POINTLESS, SO WHY BOTHER?

ANOTHER THING IS THAT WE DON'T GET


HUNGRY, SO WE DON'T EAT ANYTHING...


AAAND SIRENS CAN'T REPRODUCE.
NO GENITALS, NO SEXY TIME.

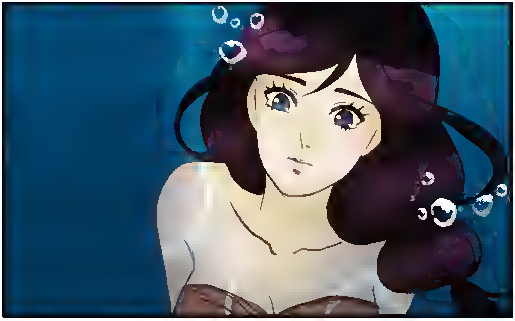


ULTIMATELY, SIRENS ARE INCAPABLE OF LOVE OR BEING LOVED... LONELINESS IS WHAT CONSUMES US.

WE DON'T POSSESS HUMAN HEARTS, SO WE SEEK THEM OUT.

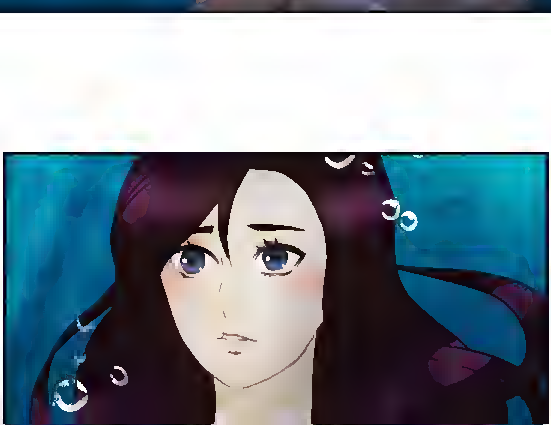
THAT'S THE MISSING

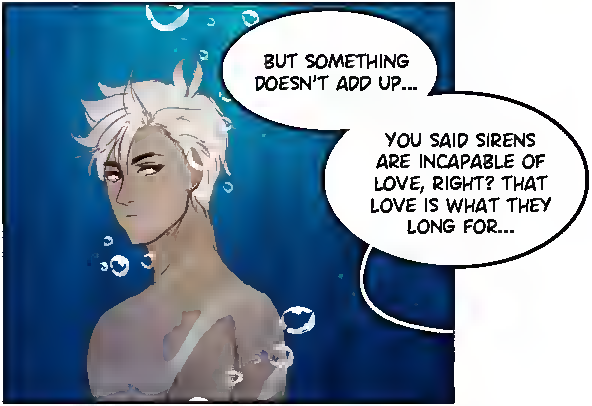
FACTOR THAT DRIVES SIRENS TO YEARN TO BE HUMAN AGAIN.

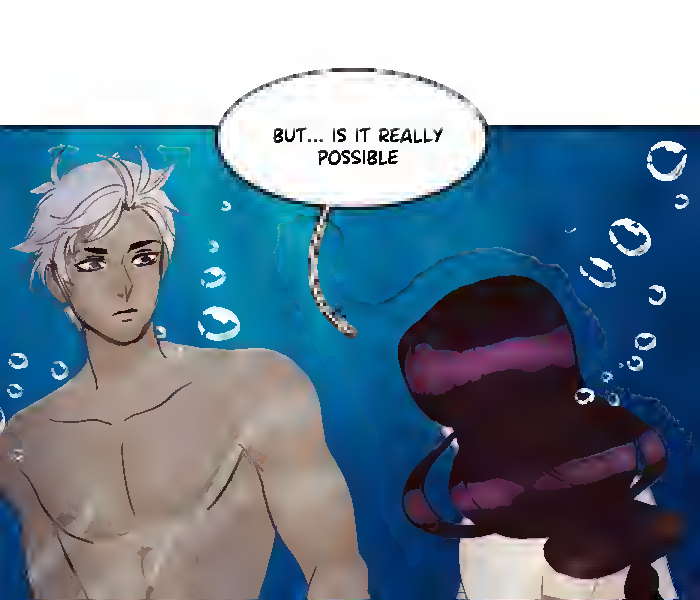


TO PUT IT SHORTLY, FISH BAIT. BEING A SIREN MEANS TO BE A NOBODY. A BLANK SLATE.

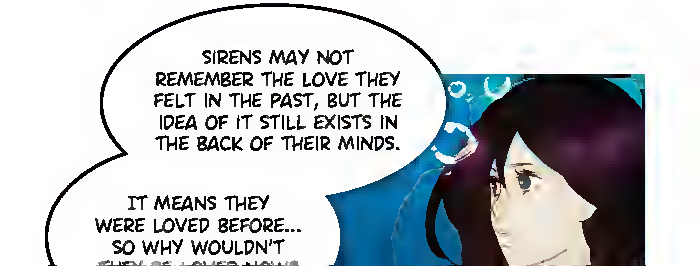
A NOTHING...



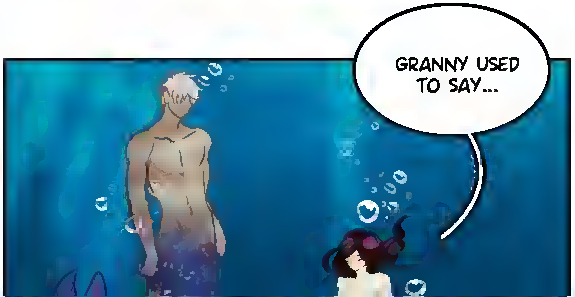

BUT SOMETHING DOESN'T ADD UP...
YOU SAID SIRENS ARE INCAPABLE OF LOVE, RIGHT? THAT LOVE IS WHAT THEY LONG FOR...

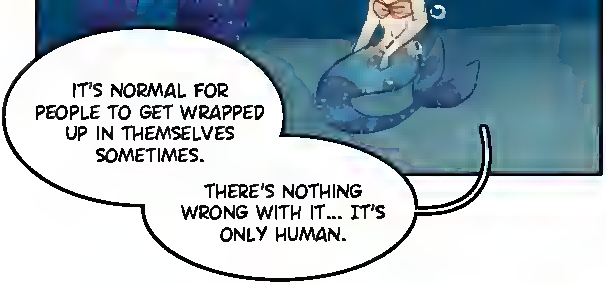

BUT... IS IT REALLY POSSIBLE

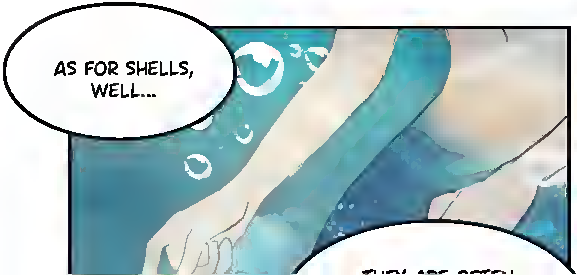
TO LONG FOR SOMETHING YOU DON'T REMEMBER?

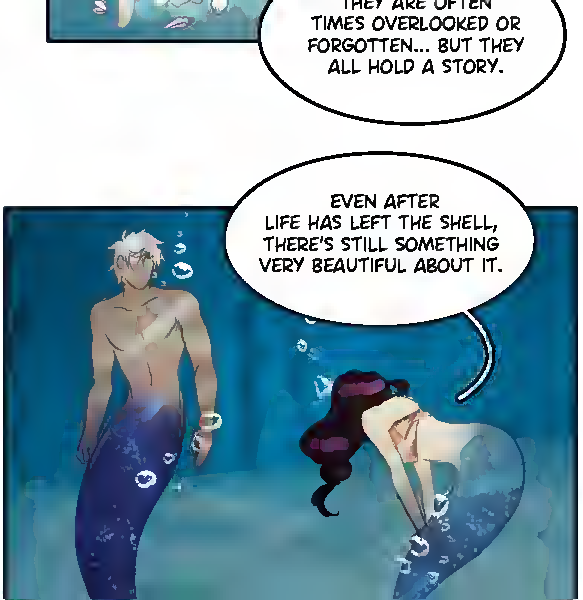

SIRENS MAY NOT REMEMBER THE LOVE THEY FELT IN THE PAST, BUT THE IDEA OF IT STILL EXISTS IN THE BACK OF THEIR MINDS.
IT MEANS THEY WERE LOVED BEFORE... SO WHY WOULDN'T

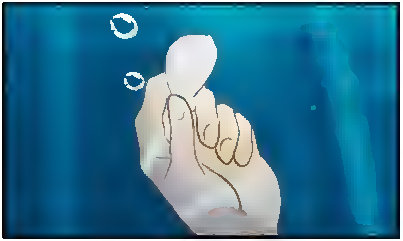
THEY BE LOVED NOW?

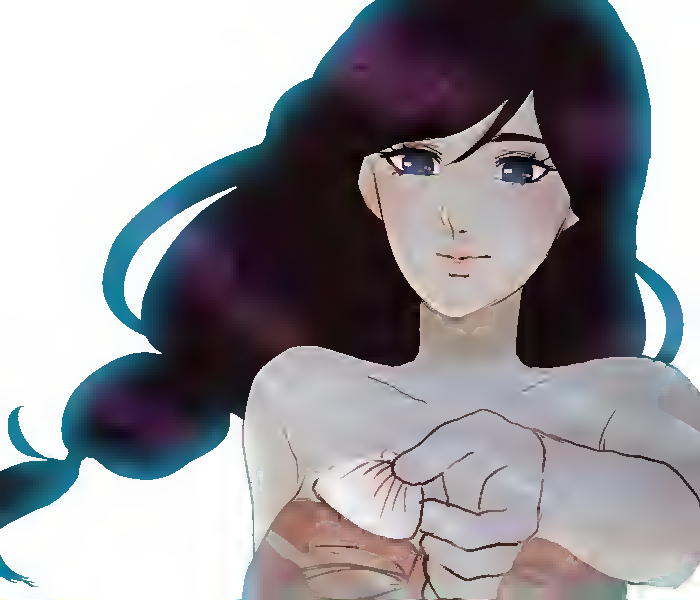

GRANNY USED TO SAY...

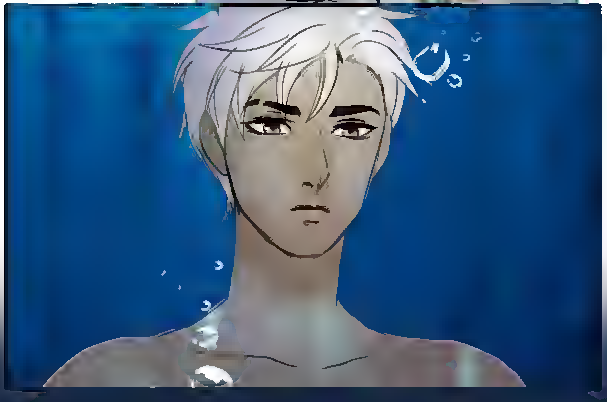

IT'S NORMAL FOR PEOPLE TO GET WRAPPED UP IN THEMSELVES SOMETIMES.
THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH IT... IT'S ONLY HUMAN.


AS FOR SHELLS, WELL...

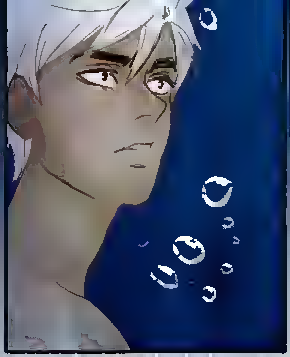
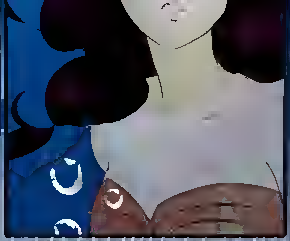

THEY ARE OFTEN TIMES OVERLOOKED OR FORGOTTEN... BUT THEY ALL HOLD A STORY.
EVEN AFTER LIFE HAS LEFT THE SHELL, THERE'S STILL SOMETHING VERY BEAUTIFUL ABOUT IT.

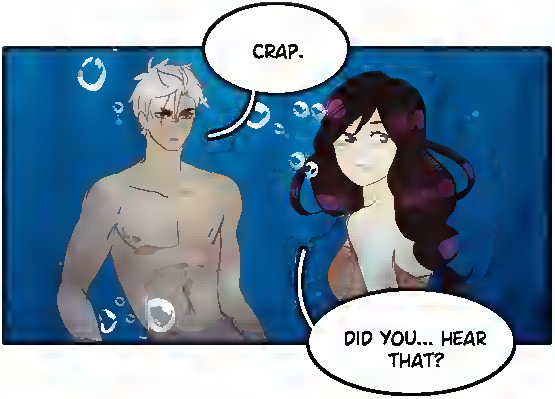


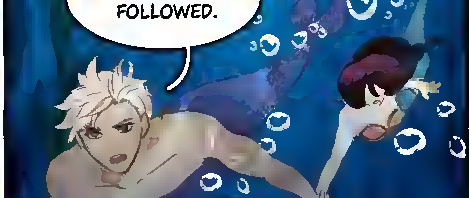


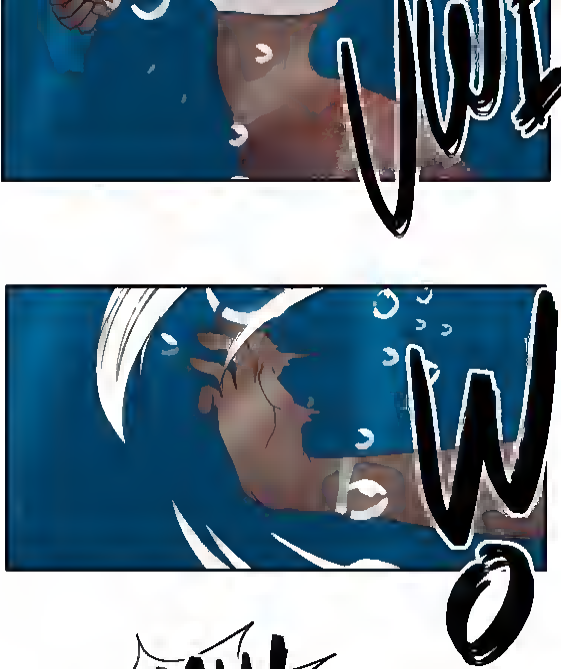


O broken hearted one,
your soul has grown
weary...

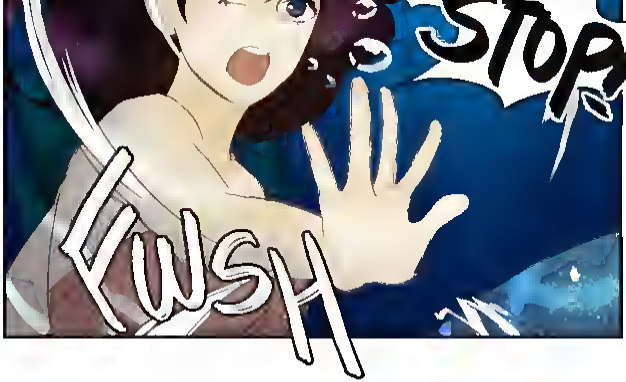

CRAP.
DID YOU... HEAR THAT?
WE'RE BEING


FOLLOWED.
WE GOTTA MOVE-
NOW.



WAH!
HS

WAIT-


STOP!
FWSH

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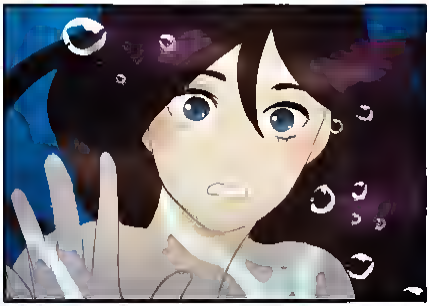

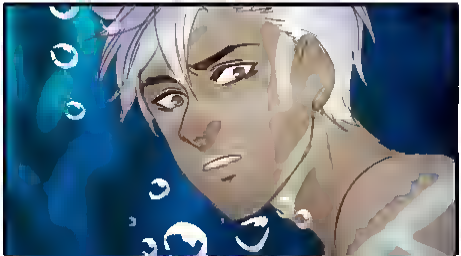

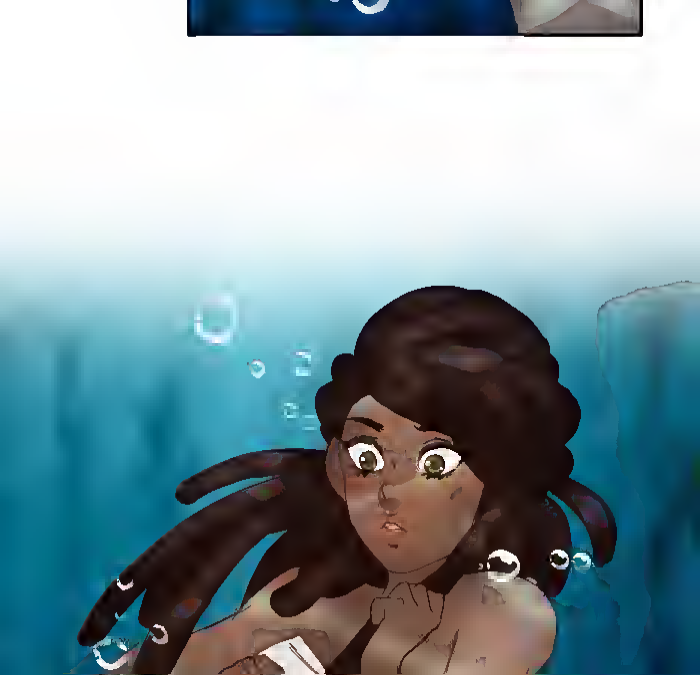

Siren's Lament

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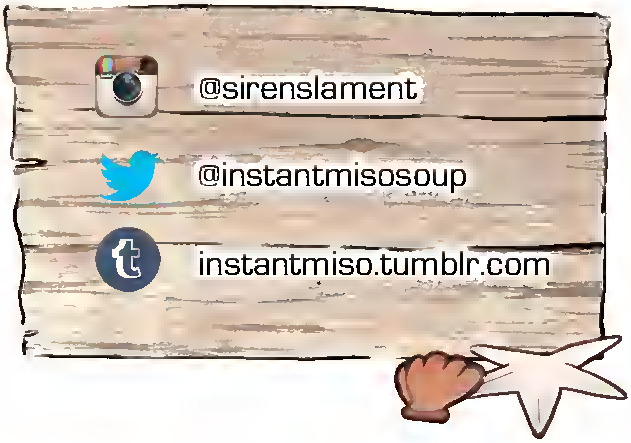
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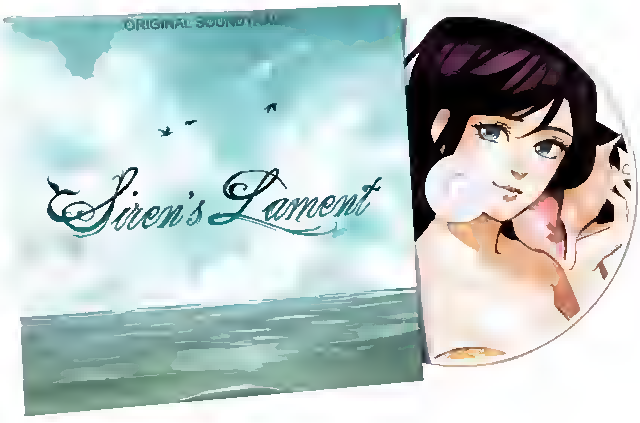

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THANKS FOR READING!
SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

Siren's Lament
HELLO! I'M INSTANTMISO, CREATOR OF SIREN'S LAMENT AND THE PERSONIFIED VERSION OF THE SOUP BOWL!
You can call

me

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HEY! SO BEFORE YOU GO TO THE COMMENT SECTION OR ANOTHER COOL COMIC OR CONTINUE ON WITH YOUR LIFE, I WANT TO MAKE A QUICK ANNOUNCEMENT!

I'M GOING TO BE AT THE SAN DIEGO COMIC CON FRIDAY JULY 22, 2016

ROOM 4, 7:00PM-8:00PM

LINE WEBTOON WILL BE HOSTING THE PANEL "MONETIZE YOUR COMICS"!

FEATURING THE CREATORS OF "LARS, THE AWKWARD YETI," "THE BADGUYS," AND "SIREN'S LAMENT" (ME)!

NOT TO MENTION YOUR FAVORITE MUSIC PERSON WILL BE THERE! KENNY!

RIGHT?

MAYBE.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE! <3